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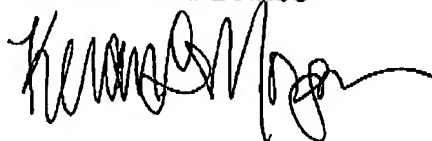
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6 (Claim 1, line 9)	47	"pellets:" should read --pellets;--

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